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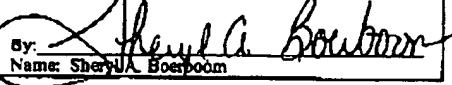
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 9, 2005, Applicants respectfully request consideration of the remarks below for the patent application identified above.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.